



Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure Newsletter

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MOST Form Available on Board Website

The Board has completed work on the development and adoption of a standardized medical order for scope of treatment (MOST) form, as mandated by the recently passed SB 77. This legislation, sponsored by Sen. Tom Buford, requires the Board to promulgate an administrative regulation to develop the format for a standardized medical order for scope of treatment form approved by the Board, including spacing, size, borders, fill and location of boxes, types of fonts used and their size, and placement of boxes on the front or back of the form so as to fit on a single sheet. Efforts are underway to promulgate the new regulation on this issue. The form along with a Board Opinion that was developed to provide guidance on the use of the MOST form is available on the Board's website, <http://kbml.ky.gov/board/Pages/Opinion-and-Policy-Statements.aspx>

AMA Task Force Releases Guide on Naloxone

The American Medical Association Task Force to Reduce Prescription Opioid Abuse, which is comprised of 27 physician organizations including the AMA, American Osteopathic Association, 17 specialty and seven state medical societies as well as the American Dental Association recently released a resource guide on Naloxone Access to assist physicians. The guide can be found by going to the Substance Abuse Resources tab on our website www.kbml.ky.gov.

As all physicians in Kentucky are aware, drug addiction and overdoses continue to be a serious problem throughout the Commonwealth. As previously reported, the Kentucky General Assembly passed SB 192, earlier this year, that amended KRS 217.186 to allow a licensed health care provider, acting in good faith, to prescribe or dispense naloxone to a third-party (person or agency) without fear of disciplinary action from professional licensing boards. Additionally, the bill authorizes a person (or agency) to receive a prescription for naloxone, possess naloxone and the equipment needed for its administration, and to administer naloxone to an individual suffering from an apparent opioid-related overdose.

The Board appreciates the efforts of the AMA and the Task Force on this effort and encourages all licensees to review the guide.

Board Orders can be viewed under the Physician Profile/
Verification of License link on the Board's website at
www.kbml.ky.gov

Board Action Report (actions taken since 07/01/15)

Mark A. Abramovich, M.D., Bardstown, KY, License # 23691
Amended Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered
into 07/22/15.

Mark J. Akers, M.D., Huntington, WV, License # 42512
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 07/31/15.

Ghias M. Arar, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 32411
Order of Revocation issued 09/21/15, effective 09/23/15.

Anthony Arnott, M.D., Olive Hill, KY, License # 44388
Agreed Order entered into 07/07/15.

Ashley N. Blevins, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # IP1441
Agreed Order entered into 09/30/15.

Paul V. Brooks, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 32337
Order of Indefinite Restriction issued 08/26/15.

**Mary Gallagher Brown (Brenyo), PA-C, Lawrenceburg, KY,
License # PA642**
Amended Agreed Order entered into 08/05/15.

Mark E. Buchanan, M.D., Bowling Green, KY, License # 42906
Order Terminating Amended Agreed Order issued
08/26/15.

Stephen D. Burton, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 30716
Fourth Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/01/15.

David A. Dao, M.D., Elizabethtown, KY, License # 22439
Agreed Order entered into 08/11/15.

Anthony A. DeGuzman, M.D., Paintsville, KY, License # 31110
Agreed Order of Retirement entered into 08/20/15.

Alexander Donath, M.D., Cincinnati, OH, License # 48409
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 07/08/15.

Smith H. Gibson, M.D., Covington, KY, License # 10887
Agreed Order of Retirement entered into 07/29/15.

Scott R. Hamann, M.D., Nicholasville, KY, License # 32055
Third Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/27/15.

Robert B. Hays, PA-C, Lexington, KY, License # PA532
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 07/22/15.

Mark H. Heinicke, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 21176
Agreed Order entered into 08/13/15.

Ross A. Horsley, M.D., Allegany, NY, License # 39869
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 08/04/15.

Anthony B. Karam, D.O., Lexington, KY, License # 03321
Agreed Order entered into 07/16/15.

Malcolm H. King, M.D., Ashland, KY, License # 12569
Agreed Order of Retirement entered into 07/07/15.

Randall E. King, M.D., Owensboro, KY, License # 29422
Agreed Order of Probation entered into 09/18/15.

Donald R. Lewis, Jr., M.D., Huntington, WV, License # 33032
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 07/31/15.

Paul D. Lopreato, PA-C, Florence, KY, License # PA735
Order Terminating Fifth Amended Agreed Order issued
09/01/15.

Thad R. Manning, D.O., Pikeville, KY, License # 02807
Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/09/15.

Howard T. Massey, M.D., Rochester, NY, License # 28041
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 08/27/15.

David H. McCord, M.D., Nashville, TN, License # 24270
Order Denying Application for Renewal of License
issued 09/22/15.

John M. McKeown, M.D., Oak Brook, IL, License # 17035
Agreed Order entered into 09/15/15.

Timothy F. Mynes, D.O., Rustburg, VA, License # 03317
Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/21/15.

William Ortiz, M.D., Deltona, FL, License # 46744
Agreed Order entered into 08/20/15.

Michael D. Perkins, M.D., Whitley City, KY, License # 19098
Agreed Order entered into 08/20/15.

Marcello Pietrantoni, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 29075
Order Terminating Agreed Order of Probation issued
07/23/15.

**Satyanarayana G. Raju, D.O., Danville, IL, Inactive License #
02618**
Order Denying Re-Registration of Inactive License
issued 07/21/15.

Prakash N. Shah, M.D., Hopkinsville, KY, License # 31011
Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/30/15.

**Mohamed Abdel-Rahman Shahout, M.D., Brooksville, FL,
License # 37639**
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 07/24/15.

John H. Shelby, M.D., Rochester, MN, License # 36259
Agreed Order entered into 07/30/15.

Christy D. South, M.D., Bowling Green, KY, License # 42197
Agreed Order entered into 09/11/15.

Jennifer E. Vice, PA-C, Richmond, KY, License PA872
Agreed Order of Surrender entered into 07/16/15.

Raul L. Vilca, M.D., London, KY, License # 41816
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 08/25/15.

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Michael W. Vories, M.D., Mount Pleasant, South Carolina, License # 33216

Agreed Order entered into 09/02/15.

Madhusudhan R. Yakkanti, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 40767

Agreed Order entered into 07/29/15.

Restrictions have also been placed on the following physicians' licenses pending resolution of charges brought against them.

Christopher C. Babcock, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 38014

Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension issued 08/06/15, effective 08/07/15.

James H. Heaphy, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 26270

Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension issued 09/21/15, effective 10/02/15.

Gregory Hoskins, PA-C, Busy, KY, License # PA267

Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension issued 08/28/15, effective 08/31/15.

Reminder on Controlled Substance Prescription Blanks

The Office of Inspector General would like to remind all practitioners of the requirements set out in 902 KAR 55:105 Controlled substance prescriptions blanks.

With the advancement of computer generated prescription blanks and new CMS tamper-resistant requirements, the OIG has received several calls about the compliance of certain controlled security blanks recently. As a reminder, all practitioners in Kentucky are mandated by law to utilize a security prescription blank when prescribing a controlled substance while practicing within the Commonwealth.

Please see the diagram on our website to assist in determining if your controlled substance prescription blanks meet all of the requirements established in 902 KAR 55:105. The diagram can be found by choosing the Substance Abuse Resources tab on our website www.kbml.ky.gov. Please note this is for controlled substance prescription blanks ONLY.

Renewal of Physician Licenses for 2016

In late December, physicians holding an active license will receive a notice by mail with instructions to renew his or her license. Physicians will be able to renew their license online at www.kbml.ky.gov. To complete the renewal, physicians will be required to verify and update their unique licensure information. The fee to renew online will be \$150.00. Physicians who renew by paper will be assessed an additional \$10.00 fee. Please note the link to renew your license on the Board's website will not be available until the first week of January 2016.

Annual Report

In accordance with state statutes, the Board has submitted its annual report to the Governor outlining its activities for the past fiscal year. A copy of the full report is available at <http://kbml.ky.gov/board/Pages/Annual-Report.aspx>.

Physician Renewals and Applications:

Registered In State	*11,092
*(includes 570 retired physicians)	
Registered Out of State	5,530
Applications Provided For Initial Licensure	1,272

New Licenses Issued:

Medical Licenses	1,033
Osteopathic Licenses	150
Temporary Permits	610
Residency Training Licenses	250
Institutional Practice Limited Licenses	25
Fellowship Training Limited Licenses	14
Faculty Licenses	4

Physician Assistants

Active	1,132
New	120

Athletic Trainers

Active	534
New	123

Surgical Assistants

Active	210
New	14

Acupuncturists

Active	77
New	14

KASPER Report Error Correction Process

If a KASPER report contains erroneous controlled substance prescription records, the patient or provider should contact the dispenser to verify the information reported. The dispenser can correct information reported in error. If the dispenser certifies that the information was reported accurately, the patient or provider can contact the [Drug Enforcement and Professional Practices Branch](#) at 502-564-7985 to investigate the error.

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Name: _____
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(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

Practice Address: _____
(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

Practice County: _____

Office Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____
(Email address is not published)